Edgewood Community Advisory Board Meeting Notes: Thursday, February 8, 2018, 7:00 p.m.

Agenda: A copy of the agenda is attached.

Minutes: There were no minutes.

Attendees: 20 citizens; 2 board members

Speaker(s):

- **Cynthia Lince**, Legislative Aide to Council President Slutzky, shared that the Board of Education is seeking citizen input in the selection of the new superintendent of schools.
- Sylvia Bryant, Deputy Director, Community Services shared:
 - o 2017 Progress Report
 - o Infographic
 - Transitioning Youth Expo
 - Harford County Loves Historic Places
- Jansen Robinson, CAB Chair building positive relationships
- Donna Blasdell, Legislative Aide to Councilman Mike Perrone, attended in Mr. Perrone's absence. Alerted community to the coming medical marihuana dispensary on Route 40; Rise is the company. Citizens noted that there's a methadone clinic in the community near McDonalds. Some concern about this; maybe invite company representative to a meeting to share.
- Jake Adler, Business Development Associate, Community and Economic Development:
 - BRAC Zone application in progress
 - SHA states work to Route 755 is complete
 - o Route 40 planters are the responsibility of the County to maintain
 - Implementation Meeting set for Tuesday, February 13, 6 p.m. at the Southern Precinct
 - Citizens have voiced concerns about the Edgewood sign on Willoughby
 Beach Road; may be able to address during the meeting
 - Stressed need for citizen input; partnerships required to implement plan

• Community Concerns:

- Edgewood Shopping Center repairs. Previous attempts to get action from property owner (Dave Cordish) outlined; generally property owner is uncooperative.
- Shopping Center near EPICENTER what's happening? Who owns?
- Livability Code may be a means for addressing absentee landlords
- Expand vocational opportunities for youth

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• Announcements:

- o Sheriff's Office:
 - Youth Academy
 - Citizens Academy
- Senator Cardin's Town Hall Meeting, Saturday, 2/10/2018, 11:30 a.m., Ames
 United Methodist Church, 112 Baltimore Pike, Bel Air

Follow-up: None